## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

<i>In re</i> a	pplication of:	)	
	• •	)	Docket No. MIPFP078
Koichi YOSHIZAWA et al.		)	
		)	Examiner: M. Riley
Application No. 10/773,087		)	
		)	Group Art Unit: 2625
Filed:	February 4, 2004	)	
		)	Date: August 25, 2008
For:	COLOR SEPARATION INTO A	)	
	PLURALITY OF INK COMPONENTS	)	Confirmation No. 3296
	INCLUDING PRIMARY COLOR INK	)	
	AND SPOT COLOR INK	)	
		)	

## **AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants submit this paper in response to the Office Action dated May 23, 2008 (Applicants note that the deadline of August 23, 2008 fell on a Saturday). Please amend this application as follows:

The **Amendments to the Claims** made herein are reflected in the **Listing of Claims**, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Applicants' Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.